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**ORIGIN**

- ☒ 1 Original Proceeding ☐ 2 Removed from State Court ☐ 3 Remanded from Appellate Court ☐ 4 Reinstated or Reopened ☐ 5 Transferred from (Specify District) ☐ 6 Multidistrict Litigation (Transferred) ☐ 7 Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judge ☐ 8 Multidistrict Litigation (Direct File)
- ☐ a. all parties represented ☐ b. At least one party is pro se.

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**BASIS OF JURISDICTION**

**IF DIVERSITY, INDICATE CITIZENSHIP BELOW.**

- ☐ 1 U.S. PLAINTIFF ☐ 2 U.S. DEFENDANT ☒ 3 FEDERAL QUESTION ☐ 4 DIVERSITY (U.S. NOT A PARTY)

**CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (FOR DIVERSITY CASES ONLY)**

(Place an [X] in one box for Plaintiff and one box for Defendant)

|                          | PTF   | DEF   |   | PTF   | DEF   |   | PTF   | DEF   |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|
| CITIZEN OF THIS STATE    | [ ] 1 | [ ] 1 | CITIZEN OR SUBJECT OF A FOREIGN COUNTRY                   | [ ] 3 | [ ] 3 | INCORPORATED and PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN ANOTHER STATE | [ ] 5 | [ ] 5 |
| CITIZEN OF ANOTHER STATE | [ ] 2 | [ ] 2 | INCORPORATED or PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THIS STATE | [ ] 4 | [ ] 4 | FOREIGN NATION  | [ ] 6 | [ ] 6 |

**PLAINTIFF(S) ADDRESS(ES) AND COUNTY(IES)**

Benedict Caiola - 868 HILLSIDE AVE WESTFIELD, NJ, 07090; Union County

**DEFENDANT(S) ADDRESS(ES) AND COUNTY(IES)**

Lockey Maisonneuve - 117 Cranford Ave, Cranford, NJ 07016; Union County

Melisa Tropeano - 1409 Nottingham Drive, Naples, FL 34109; Collier County

The MTL Communications Group LLC - 1409 Nottingham Drive, Naples, FL 34109; Collier County

**DEFENDANT(S) ADDRESS UNKNOWN**

REPRESENTATION IS HEREBY MADE THAT, AT THIS TIME, I HAVE BEEN UNABLE, WITH REASONABLE DILIGENCE, TO ASCERTAIN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESSES OF THE FOLLOWING DEFENDANTS:

**COURTHOUSE ASSIGNMENT**

I hereby certify that this case should be assigned to the courthouse indicated below pursuant to Local Rule for Division of Business 18, 20 or 21.

Check one: THIS ACTION SHOULD BE ASSIGNED TO: ☐ WHITE PLAINS ☒ MANHATTAN

DATE 12/13/2018 SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

RECEIPT #

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE IN THIS DISTRICT  
[ ] NO

☒ YES (DATE ADMITTED Mo. 06 Yr. 1992 )  
Attorney Bar Code # RW9041

Magistrate Judge is to be designated by the Clerk of the Court.

Magistrate Judge \_\_\_\_\_ is so Designated.

Ruby J. Krajick, Clerk of Court by \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk, DATED \_\_\_\_\_

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT (NEW YORK SOUTHERN)